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RYE PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING REPLACEMENT OF THE NH 1A BRIDGE OVER SEAVEY CREEK

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces a combined Public Officials/Public Informational Meeting will be held Thursday, October 19, 2006 to discuss the proposed replacement of the NH Route 1A bridge over Seavey Creek in the Town of Rye. The project will extend approximately 500 feet on either side of the existing bridge.

The purpose of this meeting is to present citizens and public officials with information regarding the proposed project and to solicit public input to ensure that project decisions meet public transportation needs and community goals, and protect and enhance the environment.

The October 19 public meeting will be held at the Seacoast Science Center, Odiorne Point State Park, 570 Ocean Boulevard, in Rye, New Hampshire, beginning at 7:00 pm.